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TOPIC Soviet Truck Convoys Passing Through SOPRON

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3 and 4 July 1949

1. Soviet NCOs wearing red-bordered, black epaulets, were on traffic control in SOPRON (P 48/X 63) from the early morning of 3 July to 4 p.m. on 4 July 1949. Traffic signals were given with red-white flags in daytime and with red-white lamps at night.

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2. a. About two hundred trucks, coming from the direction of SOPRON-KOEVEDS (P 48/X 72), passed through SOPRON, heading for VIENNA. About 90 percent of the trucks were three-ton vehicles and about 50 percent pulled 1.5-ton trailers. The motor vehicles appeared to be badly worn.

b. The trucks were loaded with quartering equipment (beds, furniture) and other material, including empty barrels. No Soviet troops were observed, except the loading crews (very young soldiers).

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[redacted] truck, being towed by another truck; occupied by four officers wearing red-bordered, black epaulets, heading towards VIENNA.

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a. No other [redacted] have reported the information supplied in the above report.

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b. [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]
the convoys possibly belonged to GHS units of the Central Group of Forces and troop units from the area of STOKERAU-KORNUBURG (antiaircraft or artillery ?).

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